

Reminders:

Labor Day No School 9/6/10

Wiki Permission 9/7/10

Bobcat Ridge 9/24/10

Field Day 10/1/10

5th Grade Classroom News

Friday, August 27, 2010

Carrie Martin Elementary

Spelling List 2

- 1 unread
- 2 mislead
- 3 mistrust
- 4 unattached
- 5 disagree
- 6 reinstall
- 7 reconsider
- 8 unheated
- 9 discomfort
- 10 misstep
- 11 distrust
- 12 disorder
- 13 misconduct
- 14 unplanned
- 15 unglued
- 16 reorder
- 17 misplace
- 18 disapprove
- 19 reassure
- 20 reaction

It was a great first full week!

Parent Night

Thank you for joining 5th Grade for Parent Night. We overviewed 5th grade, sent home a packet/handbook, and a Wiki permissions packet. Please remember to turn in the last page of the packet/handbook and the Wiki permissions purple page by 9/7/10. If you could not make it in, please read through both packets.

Reading

Reading Logs are due every Thursday for a total of 150 minutes. Logs will be sent home on Friday.

During Making Meaning, we began text-to-self connections by reading *The Lotus Seed* and *Something to Remember Me By*.

Writing

We started our Reading & Writing Response logs by writing "Our Thinking" while listening to Making Meaning read alouds.

Students finished a 5th grade writing prompt this week and completed 1 week of Daily Language Instruction..

Math

We are learning about factors, multiples, prime, and composite numbers in Investigations. We are using number puzzles and arrays to do this. Remember we should all be able to pass 100 multiplication facts in 5 minutes.

Planners

Planners should be filled out daily Monday through Friday by students. Please sign their planners Monday through Friday. This is a great tool for parent-teacher communication.

Spelling Homework

M - Sort Page

T - Sentences page (the page after the sort)

W - Pretest at home with a parent signature (can use Spellingcity.com)

R - Test at school

Wikispaces

Absent? Lost homework? Missed the meeting? Missed the newsletter?

Please check out our Wikispaces.

5A

<http://5a2011.wikispaces.com/>

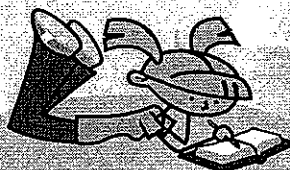
5B

<http://5th2011.wikispaces.com/>

5C

<http://cm5c.wikispaces.com/>

Please remember to ask your child if he/she has homework. We should be using the planner pages in class and taking them home. If we forget homework it is ok! We have two homework coupons, but then the remaining of late assignments are zeros. Homework is Monday—Thursday evenings.



Name: _____

Reading Log

Please record the number of minutes you read at home each week. You should read 150 minutes per week. If you read your 150 minutes, your name will be placed in a school-wide drawing for prizes.

Reading log forms will be sent home every Friday to be returned by the following Thursday.

Title of Book	Pages Read	Minutes Spent Reading	Date	Parent Signature

Weekly total _____ minutes

- 150+ minutes = 100%
- 149 – 100 minutes = 90%
- 99 – 89 minutes = 80%
- 88 – 79 minutes = 70%
- 78 – 69 minutes = 60%
- 68 – 1 minute(s) = 50%
- 0 minutes = 0%

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